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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Serial Nos. 1 to 9.

Part B for March 1919.

SUBJECT.

Functions of District & Taluk Boards.

To The Compiler, Mysore Gazette.
No 11758 - ZB 57-18-8 dated 15.3.19
Issues rules under clauses, B. b. D. & H
of Section 37 of the Mysore Local
Boards & Village Panchayats
Regulation VI of 1918

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WD 1233—GPB—60,000—1-12-16—S.

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No 3005-S-Mel 132-16-1 dy
16-11-1916
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2 Submd for approval
D. M.
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18-1-1917 Secy

3 The Tabular Statements are being typed & will be submitted by Meanwhile Draft are submitted for approval

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23-1-1917 2nd Under 4th M.1

DM 24/1/17 5 Draft as revised by Member
D. M
24/1

Do.

1 The Presidents of ~~the~~ Boards No 385 dy 25-1-17.

Requests them to submit before the 1st of March 17, copies of the resolutions of the Boards on the actual distribution of functions between the district and the Taluk Boards under the new Scheme.

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Routine Notes.

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To the President Dt. Bd Bengal

Dis1. No C. H. 174 & 9-317

Dt 13.3.1917

States that the resolution of the Dt. Bd on the actual distribution of functions between the Dist & Taluk Bds will be sent after the meeting is held in May 1917

A. S.

I am afraid that this is not a satisfactory reply. Let the reference be pointed. A draft letter may be put up for approval of Secretary Member requesting the Dt Board to hold a Special meeting on the 1st week of April & send the Dt. Board's resolution (Sd) V. R. T. 13.3.1917

Draft letter with reference submitted.

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13.3.1917

& for approval

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N.B.—Should routine notes be written on small slips, the notes must be copied, or slips pasted on this form.

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4 Put up a redraft as above

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P.M. 14/3

12 A revised draft is dated

14.3.1917

13 for approval

P.M. 15/3

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24 16.3.17 Second minutes

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8	From The President, Dt Board, Shimoga No H.C. 152 (L.B) of 1916-17. Submits a copy of the resolution of the Sub-committee appointed by the Dt Bd to discuss the subject and states that he is in full agreement with the Sub-committee's views in the matter.
9.	From The President, Dt Board, Bangalore. No. C.H. 174 (L.B.) of 30-3-17 Submits a copy of the Dt Bd's resolution on the actual distribution of functions between the Dt & the Tq. Bds. 17 A statement embodying the recommendations of the several Dist. Bds — reply from Hassan Dist. not received — as regards the transfer of functions to the Taluk Bds to put up the majority are agreed that the functions relating to the following may be assigned to Taluk Boards 1 Markets 2 Travellers' Bungalows & Musafirkhanas 3 Lighting 4 Village roads 5 Avenues

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	or repairs if the cost does not exceed Rs 250/-, but the Sub Committee of the Shimoga Dist. Board limit the power of Sanction of Taluk Bds to Rs 100, and add that "may also be given power to Sanction and Carry out works in connection with the above (Sanction assigned to them such as Conservancy Sanitation (lighting etc) costing not more than Rs 200." And the Tumkur Dist. Board state that estimates for works costing not more than Rs 200 may be Sanctioned and Carried out by Taluk Boards
Paras 15 & 16 of G.O. no 3005-55 mf 132-16-18.16-11 1916	The Govt have accepted the recommendation of the Local Self Govt Committee ~~recommendation~~ to empower Taluk Bds to Sanction estimates for works not exceeding Rs 500.
	20 As regards the finances of the Taluk Bds the Bangalore Dist. Bd recommend that 50% of the Cess (including L.B. Cess) revenue and of Mohatarfa

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Mohatarfa and all receipts under the various heads of Income as assigned to the Taluk Bds should be placed at their disposal whereas the Dist Bd of Trichinopoly are of opinion that in addition to 50% of the Cess revenue Taluk Bds may be given the receipts from Travellers' Bungalows & Musafirkhanas & the income from other items such as Market fees etc The Dist Bd of Local Fund have resolved that the division may be made of funds may be made on the lines given in the Memorandum attached to it. The Memorandum specifically refers only to the following two items

(i) The Dist Bd may allot funds to Taluk Bds as occasion arises and ask them to take needful measures regarding prevention & Checking of Spread of Epidemic diseases

(ii) The Dist Bd may allot funds to Taluk Bds from time to time for

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(vi) May regulate the cleansing & drainage of buildings

(vii) May declare a place a public market. May charge rents & fees for public markets & close public markets. May license private markets

(viii) May prohibit sale on public roads.

(ix) May provide Slaughter houses & cart stands.

(x) Should control mineral waters.

On many of these matters a Dist. Bd in the State has power to frame bye-laws under Sec 31 of the Impr. L.B. Regn. The power of framing the bye-laws on all the matters in that Section or on particular matters may be given to Taluk Boards.

22. Sections 459 and 460 of the Madras L.F. Code deal with the powers of Dist. & Taluk Bds in the matter of sanctioning of Schemes

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for works

23. Attention is invited to Secs 44, 45, 48, & 49, & to the table on page 112 of the Commentary Bombay L. B. Manual for the finances, powers & functions of a Taluka Local Board.

24. Subd for orders

A.K.

22.4.1917

25. Two draft notifications are submitted in accordance with the instructions of the Secy. These are only provisional and their exact place in the rules can be determined only after the existing rules are thoroughly revised in accordance with the Amended L. B. Regulation

A.K.

28.5.1917

26 Rev Secy. on Subd. date

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27 This file was kept back until the functions to be assigned to Dt Boards, Taluka boards & Village Panchayats

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under the draft
Local Boards Regulation
Can't be settled
28. There are two points
which require further
consideration
(a) Vaccination (Para
clause (L) of Draft Rule
34 A)
(by Working out details
in connection with the
administration of the
Irrigation fund (Clause
5 of Draft Rule 35B)
As regards the first
it may be contended that
this item is not of place
there being a separate
Regulation (2 Rule Regulation)
on the subject.

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29. These rules can be used only under the amended LRB Regulation which is now under Government in the Legislature

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Secret Section

30. Provisionally approved

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Feedback from Bo III
30.7.17

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31. These papers may be recorded as rules under Sec 37 (c) of the Supreme L. Bds & Ry. Ps Regn. VII of 1918, when issued under Notn No 11758 CB 524.18.8 of the 15th March 1918. A copy of these rules is placed in the file

30/5/17

Please sign & return this in token of approval

22-5-19

Yes.

22-5-19

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L.S.G 12-16-2

Office of the Deputy Commissioner,

Kadur District.

Dated - Chikmagalur, the 28th February 1917.
1st March.

From,

L.Krishna Rao, Esquire,
Offg: Deputy Commissioner,
Kadur District.

To,

V.R.Thyagaraja Iyer, Esquire, M.A.,
Revenue Secretary to the Government of His Highness
The Maharaja of Mysore, On special duty,
B A N G A L O R E.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. 38-45/L.S.G. 12-16-1 dated 24th January 1917 requesting to submit a copy of the reso--lution of the District Board on the actual distribution of -- functions between the District and The Taluk Boards under the new scheme, I have the honour to state that the matter was placed be--fore the District Board at their meeting convened on the 26th -- and 27th of this month

A copy of their resolution distributing functions between the District Board and The Taluk Board is herewith submitted.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

L Krishna Rao

Offg: Deputy Commissioner,

Kadur District.

Y.S.M.

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From The Deputy Commissioner
Kadur District

GEN. C. MEY. 1st
2 MAR 1917

To The Secretary to Government
Revenue Department
(on Special duty)
Bangalore

Dated 28.2.17

Despatched 1 3-17

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General No. 168
No.

Enclosure No. one

Submitting copy of the Resolution of the District Board distributing functions between the District Board and the Taluk Boards

(a) Put up. Madras & Bombay rules on the subject (2) Collect all such Resolns

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and on public grounds.

3. The establishment . management. maintenance of and visits to schools , hospitals, dispensaries, mar--kets, travellers' Bungalows, musafirkhanas, rest houses and other public institutions and also of property en--trusted to its charge by the District Board .

4. The construction and repair of public wells, tanks and water works, the supply of water from them and other sources and the preservation from pollution of water -- used for drinking and cooking purposes.

5. The establishment and management of such relief works in time of famine or scarcity as may be entrusted to its charge by the District Board.

6. The management of such public ferries as may be entrusted to its charge.

7. The establishment and management of Cattle Pounds.

8. The institution, holding and management of agri--cultural shows and exhibitions .

9. Any other works or measures likely to promote comfort, convenience interest the health or welfare of the public.

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"Copy"

Sd/- L.Krishna Rao,
President, District Board

L Krishna Rao

To The Deputy Commissioner.
Kadiri District.

rules may be framed by Government in regard to works, passing of budgets, reappropriations, as also to regulate the procedure, supervision, control &c.

I have the honor to be,

S I R,

Your most obedient servant,

Deputy Commissioner,

Chitaldrug District.

Revenue of the Local Boards in the Chittaldroog Dt. under the new Local Self Government Scheme.

Sent to L.S.G. Dept.

Head.	Items	Amount as sanctioned in the Budget for 16-17.	Allotment Taluq Boards	Allotment District Board	Remarks.
	Receipts				
A1	Local Cess (Full) instead of 76% as at present	62.900	31.450	31.450	The full amount of Local Cess & Village Mohatarfa have been taken as also the income of 37 additional Village Panchayats so as to represent the State of affairs if the new Local Self Govt. Scheme were in force. To this extent the figures depart from the actual budget figures of 16-17. If some of the unions are made into Union Municipalities as has been Separately proposed necessary corrections will have to be made.
A2	Railway Cess.	31.000		31.000	
B	House tax including Shop tax & tax on vacant sites	17.100	17.100		
C	Toll & Ferries	750	750		
D	Fees, fines and Miscellaneous	9.995	9.995		
E	Contribution and grant-in-aid	5.840	5.840		
F	Village Mohatarfa	38.885		38.885	
	Total receipts	166170	64.835	101.335	
G.	Public Debt.				
	(1) Drinking Water Wells Fund	27.500		27.500	
	(2) Income of 37 village Committees proposed to be constituted into Village Panchayats	20.000	20.000		
	Grand Total	213.670	84.835	128.835	
	Expenditure.				
A	Public Works (D.P.W)	33.866		33.866	To be placed at the disposal of the D.P.W.
B	Public Works by bind Deb.t	32.710	18.000	14.710	
6	1.(a) Head office Establishment	1.764		1.764	
	(b) Taluq office Est. & (c) T.A.	2.026	2.026		
	(d) T.A. to Board members	2.000	1.000	1.000	
	(e) Other items	340	108	232	
	2. (a) Commn. for Collecting Income taxes	700	700		
	(b) Tolls	144	144		
	3. Refunds	100		100	
	4 Pensions & gratuities	115		115	
D	1 Conservancy & Sanitation:				
	(a) Establishment	10.446	10.446		

		4.211	32.426	17.7
(b)	Hire of carts etc	956	956	
(c)	Conservancy during Jatra occasion	52	50	
(d)	Plague & Cholera Charges	2.202		2200
2 (a)	Medical Charges (d.7. dispensaries)	6.368	6.368	
(b)	(i) Construction of Dispensaries	5.000		5.000
	(ii) Repairs of —do—	2.500	2.500	
(c)	Midwives	1.506	1.506	
(d)	Contribution to Native Vaidyasalas	876	876	
(f)	Treatment of Indigent Patients in Pasteur Institute	50		50
(g)	Veterinary Hospitals	250		250
(h)	Vaccination	96	96	
	Lighting Charges in Serais	200		200
4.	Accomodation for Travellers			
	(a) Establishment	2.460	2.460	
	(b) Purchase of Vessels etc	250	-	1.050
5.	Cattle Pounds	1.500	1.500	
6.	Markets etc			
7	Fairs & Festivals			
8	Cattle Shows & Exhibitions	800		800
9	Water Supply & Maintenance Charges	625		1625
10	Purchase of Bull	75		75
11	Other Items Gardens & Buildings	872	72	800
Mis.	Maintenance etc of Deaf & Dumb Institution at Mysore	60		60.
	Total expenditure	1.10705	46.808	63.897
	Public Debt: —			
(i)	Drinking Water Wells Fund	27.500		27.500
(ii)	Assumed Expenditure of 3 Village Panchayats	20.000	20.000	
	Grand Total	158205	66.808	91.397

To be allotted as necessity arises

To be transferred to D. B.

Vote - Total Rev: on the Dt board Rs. 213,670 —o
Deduct allotment for expenditure 158205 —o
Balance Rs 55,465 —o

available for meeting interest on Railway loan & for allotting funds for large works Common to the District

C S Balasundaram V
President
Chitaldrug Dt

Functions proposed to be assigned to the District and Taluk Boards under the new scheme of Local Self Government, Chitaldrug District

Budget head.	District Board.	Taluk Board.
Public works.	Till a separate Engineering establishment is entertained, the D.P.W. to execute these works. The President may countersign the estimates and inform the District Board of the same at the earliest meeting.	
--Do--	The limit of sanction may be up to Rs. 1500 for original works and Rs. 2500 for repairs. The District Board should have power to execute non-budgetted works costing not more than Rs. 500, provided the total budget grant is not exceeded. May sanction all estimates for new well works and send them to Taluk Boards for execution.	May sanction estimates for original works for repairs up to a limit of Rs. 250. All payments for works within the above limit may be made by Taluk Boards as also payments as per passed bills for works sanctioned by the District Boards.
I(a) head office estt.	The head office establishment will have greater responsibility than at present as it will have to do partly duties of audit and supervision.	.....
(b) Taluk Office estt.	.....	May perform functions as at present. To have control over their staff as per rules to be framed. Establishment will have to be strengthened.
(d)	To disburse T. A. to District Board members as per audited bills.	Taluk Boards may issue cheques as per audited bills of Taluk Board members.
Collections.	----------	May pass bills for commissi for collecting house and other taxes in village Panchayats.
.Refunds.	May exercise power as laid down in Local Boards Rules.	----------
Pensions &c.	May issue cheques and credit the amount to State Funds.	----------
D I(a) Conservancy & Sanitation. b and c.	----------	To have control over the staff and get the work done as regards the sanitation and conservancy of villages within its area.

		To have control over the district and put the work done as regards the protection of water from within its area.
		To levy rates, and credit the account to State funds.
	May exercise power as laid down in Local Boards Rules	
		May perform functions as present. Their control their staff as per rules framed. Establishment have to be approved
	To disburse T. A. to District Board members as per rules.	Taluk Boards may issue cheques for settled bill of Taluk Board members.
		May pass bill for connection for collecting taxes and other taxes in village Panchayats.
Public works.	Will a separate engineering establishment is entertained the D.P.W. to execute these works. The President may countersign the vouchers and inform the District Board of the same at the earliest meeting.	
--do--	The limit of sanction may be up to ₹ 1500 for original works and ₹ 3500 for repairs. The District Board should have power to execute non-budgeted works costing not more than ₹ 500, provided the total budget grant is not exceeded. May sanction all estimates for new well works and send them to Taluk Boards for execution	May sanction estimates for original works for repairs up to a limit of ₹ 250. All proposals for works within the above limit may be made by Taluk Boards to also pay works as per approved bills for works executed by the District Boards.
(a) Head office establishment.	The Head office establishment will have greater responsibility than at present as it will have to do purely duties of audit and supervision.	
Taluk office establishment.		

	Subject.	
	District Board.	Taluk Board.

Functions proposed to be assigned to the District and Taluk Boards under the new scheme of Local Self Government, Chittoor District.

d) Plague, holera &c.	The District Board may allot funds to Taluk Boards as occasion arises and ask them to take needful measures regarding prevention and checking of spread of epidemic diseases.	Should report to the District Board about the outbreak of epidemics and take all needful steps.
).2(a) &c.,	--------nil---------	May transfer the budget provision by the issue of monthly cheques on account of charges of L.F. Dispensaries and pay of midwives &c.,
(b)	The District Board may take steps for the construction of buildings to locate L.F. Dispensaries in places where the same are required.	----------
d) Vaidyasalas &c.,	May sanction new Vaidyasalas.	May send up proposals for the opening of these institutions in suitable localities.
_ & F. Treatment of persons bitten by rabid animals.	The District Board may allot funds to Taluk Boards from time to time.	The Taluk Board may take prompt steps in the matter and submit reports to strict Board.
g).	District Board to have control over Veterinary Hospitals. May take steps to open these institutions in places where they are required.	---------- -
3.	-------- ----	The Taluk Board may sanction lighting arrangements only in big village panchayats.
4.	May order the supply of furniture, vessels &c for T. B. and musafirkhanas and also arrange for the repairs to and construction of these buildings.	Taluk Boards to have control over these institutions.
5.	To sanction new pounds	May pass pound bills and issue cheques for the amount.
6 & 7.	To sanction opening of weekly santhes.	May manage the santhes making needful conservancy arrangements &c on those days. May send up proposals for the establishment of new santhes.
8.	To sanction the holding of cattle shows and exhibitions and allot funds for the purpose.	May manage the functions and send up reports &c.

The Assistant Board of Pilot Funds
by Act of Assembly are hereby empowered to borrow money on the credit of the Commonwealth, in such sums as may be necessary to take up such portions of the loan of one million dollars, authorized by the Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, approved the twenty-fifth day of April, Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, as may be offered for redemption into the Treasury of the Commonwealth, in pursuance of the provisions of the said Act of Assembly, and to issue certificates therefor, bearing interest at a rate not exceeding four per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, which certificates shall be exempt from taxation for State purposes.

SECTION 2. The Board of Pilot Funds is hereby authorized and empowered to borrow money on the credit of the Commonwealth, in such sums as may be necessary to take up such portions of the loan of one million dollars, authorized by the Act of the General Assembly of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, approved the twenty-fifth day of April, Anno Domini one thousand nine hundred and fifteen, as may be offered for redemption into the Treasury of the Commonwealth, in pursuance of the provisions of the said Act of Assembly, and to issue certificates therefor, bearing interest at a rate not exceeding four per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, which certificates shall be exempt from taxation for State purposes.

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Distribution of purchase between Dist. & Taluk Bds.

G. R. S. 26]

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Serial No. 4

Diary No. of letter replied to 30.

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No. 177-82 / L.S.G 12-16-4 dated 19/3/17

General and Revenue Secretariat
(L. S. G.)
, *the* 7 *191* .

To

The Presidents of Dist. Bds
except Kadur & Chitaldrug

Date of issue 19-3-17.

Signed by Y. P. Mahadevayya.

Sir,

In continuation of this office letter No 38-45 L.S.G 12-16 dt the 25th Jany 1917 calling for a copy of the resolution of the Dist Bd on the actual distribution of purchases between the Dist & Taluk Bds before 1st March 1917 I am directed to observe that the Board's resolution has not yet been

over.

SUBJECT.

been received and to state that orders will be passed in the matter the Govt Rep with out waiting for it.

2. I am to add that, in case the resolution of the Bd cannot be submitted for thwith, You can express your own views in the matter by return of post

W 17

I have etc

Secy to Govt Rev Dept, 16/8/17
on s/l duty

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List of enclosures

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L.S.G 12-16-S

Office of the President,
Tumkur District Board,
Dated, Tumkur, 17th March 1917.

From

K. Chandy, Esq., B.A.,
President, Tumkur District Board.

To

V. R. Thyagaraja Aiyar, Esq., M.A.,
Secretary to Government of His Highness the
Maharaja of Mysore, Revenue Department,
On Special Duty, Bangalore.

Sir,

As desired in your letter No. 38-45/L.S.G. 12-16-1 dated 24th January 1917, I have the honour to forward herewith a note on the distribution of functions between the District and the Taluk Boards under the new scheme of Local Self Government in Mysore, as resolved by the District Board members in their meeting held on 16th February 1917.

Copy of the Board's resolution on the subject is herewith submitted.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

H. Venkatramma
Hony. Vice President,
For President absent from
the Head Quarters.

K.G.R.

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GPB—50,000—17-9-15

From

The President,

Tumkur District.

To

The Revenue Secretary to Government of Mysore, on Special Duty, Bangalore.

Dated 17th March 1917.

Despatched

Received

General No.

No.

Enclosure No. 2

Submits a note on the functions between the District and the Taluk Boards under the Local Self Government Scheme, together with ~~the~~ copy of the resolution of the District Board.

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Collect & Worship

19/3/17

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4. Inclusive of the additional items of revenue now made over to the District Board by the Government, the heads of receipts may be classified as hereunder:-

A. Allotment from Local Cess including Local Funds General
B. Mohatarfa.
C. Tolls and ferries.
D. House tax in Unions.
E. Receipts from Cattle pounds.
F. Receipts from Travellers' Bungalow and Musafirkana fees
G. Miscellaneous Collections--Markets, Sale of vacant sites and Manure, Interest, etc.
H. Contributions from other Departments--Medical & Municipal.

5. Of the above item D (House Tax) exclusively appertains to Unions, while items E & G (Receipts from Cattle Pounds and Miscellaneous Collections) are partly from Unions, and partly from other rural villages; while all the other items which result from higher administrative functions may be claimed by the District Board. But divested of Union receipts on the one side and of the District Fund receipts on the other, the Taluk Boards will have very little to their credit under items E & G. According to the accounts of 1914-15, the proceeds under these heads from villages other than Unions in all the Taluks of this District have aggregated to only Rs. 4,289/-.

6. In view, however, to augment the resources of the Taluk Boards, the Government have laid down that not less than one-half of the proceeds of the Local Cess in each Taluk should be placed at the disposal of the Taluk Boards concerned. It is understood that the local cess so assigned over to Taluk Boards includes also the one-anna cess under Excise and Forest.

In addition to the allotment from Cess as above, the Taluk Boards may be assigned the whole of the receipts from Travellers' Bungalow and Musafirkhana fees.

This will give to the Taluk Boards sufficient funds as hereunder for expenditure on local needs of rural communications, conservancy, water supply, accommodation for travellers, etc.

11. The Board will also allot suitable grants to such Taluk Board Works as may call for special financial help.

12. Lastly, in regard to the relationship between the District and the Taluk Boards, though the Taluk Boards will have defined funds and functions of their own as within their respective local areas, it is not always possible to draw exactly the line of demarcation between functions that can be localised and left to the Taluk Boards and those which require co-ordinated organization and have to be attended to by the District Board. In view therefore to ~~xxxx~~ avoid duplication or clashing of the programmes of the District Board and the Taluk Boards to secure co-ordination it is very necessary that the District Board should be kept informed of the proposals and works carried out by the Taluk Boards and for obvious reasons, it is also very expedient at least for some years to come that the District Board should keep a watch and control over the Taluk Boards.

13. The following proposals in this respect are submitted for consideration:-

1. That the Taluk Board Budgets be scrutinized and passed by the District Board.

2. The Taluk Board to have power to sanction and carry out works under Rs. 200/- on their own motion, while all works proposed and approved by the Taluk Boards entailing an expenditure of over Rs. 200/- be subject to formal confirmation by the District Board.

3. That estimates for works so approved be sanctioned by the President of Taluk Board, if within Rs. 500/- and by the President of District Board, if higher.

4. That all payments for works sanctioned out of Taluk Board funds be made on bills passed by the President of the Taluk Board, subject to the final completion bill being placed before the District Board for confirmation.

5. In respect of works sanctioned out of the funds of the District Board and worked out through the Taluk agency, payments will be made on measurement bills passed by the President of the District Board.

H. Venkatramana

Proceedings of the 4th meeting of the Gurgur District Board held on Friday the 16th February 1917.

Present: 1. V. Chenny, Esq., ..., President.
2. The Treasury Assistant Commissioner.
3. The Sub-Division Officer, Maddagiri.
4. The District Deputy Inspector of Schools.
5. The District Medical and Sanitary Officer.
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Non-Official Members.

6. Mr. B. Venkataramiah, B.A., B.L., Advocate, (Elected Vice President).
7. " Suryanarayana Rao, Sodigar, Kolal.
8. " Bodyguard Srinivasa Rao, Landholder, Chinnakkanahalli
9. " Ibrahim Khan, Landholder, Giri
10. " Lotturappa, Merchant, Tiptur.
11. " Lakka Bhadra Setti, Landholder and Merchant, Yenigal
12. " P. C. Nagappa, Landholder, Guruvalalu.
13. " Agali Venkataramiah, Landholder Giri.
14. " V. Krishnamurthappa, Inamdar, Venkatapur.
15. " G. Ramaswamaiya, Landholder, Maritur.
16. " Krishnaveeraya Pandit, Landholder & Retd. Sadaba.

Absent: Ex-Officio Members.

17. The Sub-Division Officer, Gubbi.
18. " Executive Engineer.

Non-Official Members.

19. Mr. Shama Sastri, Sodigar & Pleader, Maddagiri.
20. " Ranganayaka, Landholder, Gurur.
21. " C. Ivarmaiah, Sodigar and Alemner, Maddagiri. (On furnishing explanation of absence).
22. " Devaraja Setti, Merchant & Landholder, Anderahalli.
23. " Gangaraja Urs, Sodigar, Arkalgudu. (On furnishing explanation of absence).
24. " Subbiraidu, Landholder, Kerur (On furnishing explanation of absence).
25. " Anantarangappa, Landholder & Merchant, Kollegal.

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14. Read letter No. 3[illegible]-45/L.S.G. 12-16-1 dated 24th January 1917 from the Revenue Secretary to Government on Special Duty calling for a copy of the resolution of the District Board on the actual distribution of funds between the District and Taluk Boards under the new Scheme of the local Self Government.

Resolved that the subject be referred to a Sub-Committee consisting of the gentlemen noted below and that their opinion be for-

forwarded to the Secretary.

1. Mr. A. Mrityunjaya Iyer,
   Treasury Assistant Commissioner.
2. " H. Venkataramiah.

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H. Venkataramiah

For President.

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L.S.G 12-16-1.

Office of the President,
District Board, Kolar District.

Dated K o l a r, the 19th March 1917.

From

P. F. BOWRING, Esquire, J.P.,
President, District Board,
Kolar District.

To

V. R. THYAGARAJA IYER, Esquire, M.A.,
S e c r e t a r y to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of M y s o r e,
Revenue Department, (on special duty),
B a n g a l o r e.

Sir,

Adverting to your letter No: 38-45/L.S.G. 12-16-1, dated 24th January 1917, regarding the actual distribution of functions between the District Board and t h e Taluk Boards under the new scheme for the Development of Local Self-Government in Mysore, I have the honor to state that the subject was discussed by the District Board at their meeting held on the 17th February last, and a copy of their resolution is herewith submitted for the Orders of Government.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant

P. Bowring

for Deputy Commissioner,
Kolar District.

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Proceedings of the third ordinary meeting of the Kolar District Board, for the year 1916-17, convened at Kolar, on Saturday, the 17th February 1917.

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12. Read Revenue Secretary's letter No: 38-45/L.S.G.12-16-1, dated 24th January 1917, calling for the views of the District Board in the matter of the distribution of function between the Taluk Boards and the District Board under the new scheme.

Resolved that the functions of the Taluk Boards and the District Board be distributed on the lines recommended by the special Committee for the development of Local Self-Government in Mysore subject to the modifications suggested by the Government in their Order of the 16th November 1916, and the actual distribution of functions in this District being as shown hereunder:-

Matters to be attended to by the Taluk Boards.	Matters to be attended to by the District Board.
1. Markets and cart-stands.	1. Large Public Works.
2. Slaughter houses.	2. Railways.
3. Musafirkhanas and rest-houses.	3. Primary Education.
4. Vaccination, Conservancy and Lighting.	4. Local Fund Dispensaries.
5. Construction and maintenance of small roads.	5. Veterinary Dispensaries.
6. Planting and care of Avenues.	6. Maintenance of large roads.
7. Purchase and maintenance of Breeding bulls.	7. Relief Works.
8. Control over minor Muzrai Institutions.	8. Water Supply.
9. Vaidyasalas.	9. Cattle shows and Exhibitions and Jatras.
	10. Travellers' Bungalows.

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Sd/. P. F. BOWRING,
President,
Kolar District Board.

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Kolar
Dated 19th March 1917.

Deputy Commissioner,
Kolar District.

Proceedings of the District Board of Nepure, passed at a meeting held at 2 P.M. at Nepure on Friday the 23rd February 1917

Ex-Officio members. Vide S.S. § 12 16-7

1. The Deputy Commissioner, Nepure District. (President
2. The Assistant Commissioner in charge of the District Treasury. (Vice President
3. The Assistant Commissioner, Manjangad Sub Division
4. — Do — Nepure — Do —
5. — Do — Ramakrishna — Do —
6. The District Medical Officer - Nepure.
7. The District Sanitary Officer — Nepure.
8. The Deputy Inspector of Schools, Nepure District
9. The Executive Engineer - Nepure Division.

Elected members — Taluk Represented

P 10. Mr M. L. Varadarajaya — Nepure
11. Boregowda. Kalahalee — Yedatore
12 Vacant. — Hunsur
13 Mr Venkatarayappa — Gundlupet
14. " Govindarajaya. Merchant — Nanjangud
15. " Narasinha Rao. Landholder — T. Narsipur
16 " D. Narasinga Rao. Pleader. — Seringapatam.
P 17. " K. Krishna Rao. Landholder — Krishnarajanagar
18 " Gundappa — Merchant — Nagamangala
19 " Nanjappa Setty. Merchant — Mandya.
A 20 " D. Kempanna Gowda Setty — Malvalli
21 " M. C. Srinivasa Iyengar of Nelmote. — Ramanathapura.
22 " M. Subba Rao. Contractor. — Heggadevankote.
23 " Venkatarayappa Landholder. — Bhavanigadda
P 24 "

Nominated members

25 " C. Srinivasayya. B.A., B.L. Advocate. — Nepure.
26 " Mir Raza Ali, Landholder — Periyapatna
A 26 Rev: Father Despatures Catholic Priest. Egypt
27. Mr. Abdul Ameen. Pandit Landholder. — Nepure
28. " Kabbakeri Channabasappa — Do — — do —
P 29 " Mohamed Sait — Merchant — Nepure
30 " T. S. Seshachari. Forest — Talkad

(A = Absent, P = Present)

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16. Read letter No. 38-45 L. S. G./12-16-1 dated 24-1-1917 from the Revenue Secretary to the Government of Mysore(on special duty) calling for the views of the District Board on the -- actual distribution of functions between the District and -- Taluk Boards under the Local Self Government Scheme.

Resolved that the following items be entrusted to the control of the Taluk Board.

1. Maintenance of the less important roads now maintained by P. W. Department as per annexed list.
2. Maintenance of roads now maintained by the Revenue Department Agency.
3. Repairs to Musafikhanas, Third class Travellers Bungalows, Markets, and repair and construction of cattle pounds.
4. Control over Musafikhans, Third class travellers bungalows and markets with an income of ~~Rupees~~ not ~~less~~ more than Rs. 1000
5. Planting a nd care of avenue trees.
6. Control over vaccination.

All other matters now under the control of the District Board will continue to be dealt with by the District Board.

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M. Seshadri
President,
District Board of Mysore.

The following are to be treated as Feeder roads.

	Roads.	Taluks in which they run	Length	Rate	Amount
1.	Chennapatna-Halafur road	Malavally	6 miles	Rs. 40	240
2.	Maddur-Koppa Railway feeder road.	Mandya	12	40	480
3.	Mandya-Nagamangala road	Mandya Nagamangala	17 8	50	1250
4.	Mandya-Bannur road	Mandya T. Narsipur	9½ 6½	60 50	895 ~~900~~
5.	Mandya-Melkote road	Mandya	6	25	150
6.	Sosale-T. Narsipur road	T. Narsipur	2	80	160
7.	Krishnarajapet-Melkote road	Krishnarajapet French-Rocks	9 3	50	600
8.	Krishnarajapet-Nagamngala road	Krishnarajapet Nagamangala	11½ 13½	35	~~875~~
9.	Kikkeri-Ippiya road	Krishnarajapet	6	40	240
10	Yedatore-Thippur road	Yedatore	4½	40	180
11.	Hampapur-Ramanathpur	Yedatore	18	75	1350
12.	Bherya-Saligram road	Yedatore	6	40	240
13.	Hunsur-Hanagod	Hunsur	9	30	270
14.	Palahally-Kalasvady road	Seringapatam	2	50	100
15.	Mysore-Mahadevapur road	Seringapatam Mysore	6 4½	60 40	540
16.	Nanjangud-Hura road	Nanjangud	18	50	900
17.	Fraserpet-Bettadapur-Hadya road	Hunsur Yedatore	8½ 1½	40	400
18.	Yeliyur-Thippur road	Mandya	3	50	150
19.	Bellur-Bommenahalli	Nagamangala	2	35	70
20.	Tumkur-Maddur road	Mandya	10	80	800
	Total		203		~~11,145~~ 9,890

M. Seshadri
President
Dt. Bd of
Mysore

Shimoga District.

Enc to L.S.G 12-16-1

Proceedings of the Sub Committee of the Shimoga District Board held on 16th March 1917.

PRESENT.

Mr. C. Gopalachar, B.A., (Vice President,)
S. Chakrapaniengar, B.A., B.L.,
Sub Division Officer, Shimoga.
" P. Subba Rao, B.A., B.L.,
Sub Division Officer, Sagar.a.
" Batni Bhima Rao.
" K.N. Veerabhadraiya, B.A.,
District Inspector of Education, Shimoga.

ABSENT.

Messrs. C. Subba Rao, (Advocate). P. Parthasarathi, Health Officer, Shimoga, and V.R. Nijigal, Executive Engineer, Shimoga.

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Read Resolution No. 17 of the Shimoga District Board meeting of the 15th February 1917 referring to the Sub-Committee letter No. 38-45/ L.S.G. 12-16-1 dated 24th January 1917 received from the Revenue Secretary to Government on specia duty calling for the resolution of the District Board on the actual distribution of functions between the District and Taluk Board with reference to paragraph 16 (3) of Government Order No. 3005-51 Ml. 132-16-1 dated 16th November 1916 sanctioning the Local Self Government Scheme.

Resolved that the under mentioned functions which come under Public Health Safety and Convenience in the District Budget may be allowed to be performed by the Taluk Board:-

1. Conservancy and Sanitation.
2. Lighting.
3. Accommodation for travellers.

4. Cattle Pounds.

5. Fairs and Festivals.

6. Market and slaughters house.

7. Public gardens and building.

8. Avenue.

9. Destruction of cover afforded to snakes.

10. Destruction of strav dogs

The Taluk Board may also be given powers to sanction and carry out works in connection with the above costing not more than Rs 200/-

The Sub Committee is also of opinion that estimates of Rs 100/- and below for works comingunder B Public works executed by the Civil Department (2) Repairs and (4) Tools and plant may be allowed to be sanctioned by the Taluk Board and carried out by them.

(Signed) C. Gopalachar,
Vice President
District Board, Shimoga

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President,
District Board, Shimoga.

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From

The President,
District Board,
Bangalore District.

To

The Revenue Secretary to
Government on
Special Duty,
Bangalore.

Dated 29. 3. 1917

Despatched 30. 3. 1917.

Received

General No. C 4174 Encl

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Enclosure No.

Submits a copy of
the Resolution of the
District Board on
the actual distribution
of functions between
District Board and
Taluk Boards.

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Office of the Pr ent. District Board,
Bangalore District,
Dated Bangalore, 29th March 1917.

From

K.R. Srinivasa Iyengar, Esq., M.A.,
President, District Board,
Bangalore District.

To

V.R. Thyagaraja Iyer, Esq., M.A.,
Revenue Secretary to Government,
On Special Duty, B A N G A L O R

Sir,

In continuation of my letter No. C.H.174 dated 21st March 1917, I have the honour to submit herewith a copy of the resolution of the District Board on the actual distribution of functions between the District and Taluk Boards.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

President,
District Board.

D.V.R.

Enc to L.S. G 12-16-7

Proccedings No.1 of 1916-17 of the District Board Special Meeting held on the 27th March 1917.

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Official Members.

P R E S E N T.

1. K.R. Srinivasa Iyengar, Esq., M.A., President

2. The Assistant Commissioner, Closepet Sub Division
3. The District Medical and Sanitary Officer, Bangalore Dt.
4. The Assistant Commissioner, Dodballapur Sub Division.
5. The Vice-President District Board.

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6. The Executive Engineer, Bangalore Division
7. The Deputy Inspector of Schools.

Non Official Members.

P R E S E N T.

8. Mr. Seenappa, Hoskote Taluk.
9. Mr. C. Naraharayya, Nelamangala Taluk.
10. Mr. T. Ramachendra Rao, Magadi Taluk.
11. Mr. Koppada Puttappa, Anekal Taluk
12. Mr. Santhanam Iyengar, Closepet Sub Taluk.
13. Mr. B. Srinivasa Iyengar, Anekal Taluk.
14. Mr. Gundappa, Chennapatna Taluk.
15. Mr. C. Venkataramana Gowda, Kankanhalli Taluk.
16. Mr. Hucheerrappa, Anekal Taluk.
17. Mr. Byatappa, Nelamangala Taluk.

18. Mr. Gopalaswami Iyer, Bangalore Taluk.

19. Mr. Puttanarasappa, Bangalore Taluk.

20. Mr. Thubugere Chendrasekharayya, Dodballapur Taluk.

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21. Mr. D. Srikhanta Rao, Devanhalli Taluk.

22. Mr. Oosmankhan Sahib, Bangalore Taluk.

23. Rev. Father Doyle

24. Mr. Yele Krishnappa, Devanhalli Taluk.

25. Mr. Alampalli Siddappa, Dodballapur Taluk.

Except the Amildar of Anekal Taluk all other Amildars and the Deputy Amildar of Closepet were also present.

(1) Read letter No. 38-45/L.S.G. 12-16-1 dated the 24th January 1917 from the Revenue Secretary to Government on Special duty, requesting that a copy of resolution of the District Board on the actual distribution of functions between the District and Taluk Boards as per para 16 (3) of Government Order No. 3005-55/ M.L. 132-16-1 dated the 16th November 1916, may be Sent

Resolution.

The Board is of opinion that the functions of the District Board may be distributed between the District and Taluk Boards as follows:---

District Board.

1. Opening and maintenance of the main roads connecting one Taluk with another.

2. Large public works or other works affecting more than one Taluk or the District as a whole.

3. Railways.

Taluk

Taluk Boards.

1. Primary Education.
2. Travellers' Bungalows.
3. Musaffar-Khanas.
4. Dispensaries and Vidyashales.
5. Vetrinary Dispensaries
6. Cattle Pounds.
7. Water-Supply.
8. Sanitation and Conservancy.
9. Markets and Cart-Sheds and Slaughter Houses.
10. Construction and maintenance of Village Roads.
11. Planting and maintenance of Avenue Trees.
12. Vaccination (If the control over vaccination which is now vested in the Sanitary Department is tranferred to Local Boards.)
13. Lighting.
14. Purchase and maintenance of Breeding Bulls.
15. Cattle Shows, Exhibitions and Jatras.

Provided that all works costing above Rs.250/- should be sanctioned by the District Board.

For discharging its responsibilities in respect of the functions assigned to the District Board, the Board is of --- opinion that a sum of not less than Rs.60,000/- will be required by it. If as proposed by Government 50% of the one anna Local Cess is to be assigned to the ~~District~~ Taluk Boards this will leave for the District Board only 26% of the cess after deducting the 24% set apart for Village School Funds, and it will amount to only about Rs.26,000/-. As this will be quite inadequate to meet the expenses of the District Board, the Board is of opinion --- that 50% of the one anna cess should be assigned to it as also half the realisations from Mhohatarfa and Local Funds generals,

generals, the rest of the realisation under these heads as also all receipts under the various Heads of functions assigned to the Taluk Boards being left to the control of the Boards concerned.

S. Ramaraja Ayyar
for President,
District Board.

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NOTIFICATION.

After Rule 84 of the Rules under the Mysore Local Boards Regulation add the following rule

84.A. Any District Board may by a formal resolution and with the sanction of Government assign all or any of the following items of revenue to the Taluk Boards within the District the assignment of revenue depending on the functions assigned to the Taluk Boards under Rule 34A supra.

(a) fines and surplus sale proceeds of cattle under the Cattle Trespass Act, 1871, as amended by Regulation VIII of 1892

(b) rents and fees leviable ~~leviable~~ under Section 31A(a) and (b) of the Local Boards Regulation.

(c) fees for the temporary use of cart-stands and of markets, market sites, village sites, and other similar public places on the occasion of fairs and festivals.

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By Order,

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Offg. Secy.to Govt.,
Revenue Dept.

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To

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NOTIFICATION.

After Rule 34 of the Rules under the Mysore Local Boards Regulation add the following rules

34.A. In addition to the duties assigned by Section 7A of the Local Boards Regulation to taluk boards as corporate bodies, any District Board may assign by a formal resolution and with the sanction of Government all or any of the following functions to the Taluk Boards within the District.

(a) Control over markets and slaughter-houses.

(b) Control over Musafirkhanas and rest-houses and cart stands.

(c) Control over such cattle pounds as are not assigned to Village Panchayets.

(d) Planting and care of avenue trees on roads in the control of Taluk Boards.

(e) Construction and maintenance of such village roads as do not fall within the jurisdiction of Village Panchayets.

(f) Opening and closing of Vaidyasalas.

(g) Provision of water-supply for drinking purposes in villages not under the control of Village Panchayets.

(h) Purchase and maintenance of breeding bulls.

(i) Holding of Cattle Shows.

(j) Conservancy and sanitary arrangements at fairs and festivals

(k) Conservancy and sanitation of areas not within the jurisdiction of Village Panchayets (including destruction of snakes and dogs, deportation of monkeys, etc.)

(l) Vaccination.

(m) Lighting of public roads.

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PART III.

Legislative Measures and Rules thereunder.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 11758—L. B. 54-18-8, dated 15th March 1919.

The Government of His Highness the Maharaja are pleased to issue the following rules under clauses (*b*), (*c*), (*d*), (*e*), (*f*) and (*j*) of Section 37 of the Mysore Local Boards and Village Panchayets Regulation, VI of 1918:—

UNDER CLAUSE (*b*).

I. Proceedings of the meeting of Local Boards.

Notice of meetings

1. At least ten days' notice of all meetings shall be given to every member: Provided that the annual budget estimate shall be circulated to all the members of the Board at least a fortnight before the date fixed for its consideration. Provided also that the accidental failure of service of notice on any member shall not invalidate the proceedings of any meeting.

Agenda.

2. The notice shall set forth clearly and fully the business to be transacted at the meeting, and no business other than that so stated shall be transacted except with the assent of the members present.

President to preside at meetings.

3. Every meeting shall be presided over by the President, if he is present at the time appointed for holding the same and if he is absent by the Vice-President, and if both the President and Vice-President are absent, the members present shall choose one of their number to preside.

Quorum.

4. No business shall be transacted at a meeting unless at least one-third of the whole number of members, except as otherwise provided for, are present from the beginning to the end of such meeting. If at the time appointed for a meeting or within half an hour, thereafter, a quorum is not present, the presiding authority may adjourn the meeting to such hour on some future day as he may reasonably fix. At such adjourned meeting any number of members not being less than five will form the quorum.

Decision by majority

5. All questions duly submitted to a Board shall be decided by a majority of votes. If the votes are equal, the President shall have a second or casting vote.

Provided that the President shall not have a casting vote, if his own election to any office or his own conduct to any matter connected with the Board is in question.

Propositions to be reduced to writing.

6. Every motion or amendment duly made and seconded and pressed to a division, shall be reduced to writing before being put to vote. Every such resolution or amendment shall be recorded in full in the Proceedings together with the number and names of voters for and against it.

Interested member not to vote.

7. No member of a Board shall vote on any question coming before the Board for consideration in which (otherwise than in its general application to all persons and properties within the local area) he has any pecuniary interest.

Language of Proceedings of Board.

8. The business at meetings of a Local Board shall be conducted either in English or in Kannada as such Board may decide: Provided that, if the Proceedings are conducted in English and if any of the members present do not understand English, it shall be the duty of the President to have the subject matter explained to them in Kannada.

Language of minutes of Proceedings of Board.

9. The minutes of the Proceedings of a District Board shall be recorded in English. The minutes of the Proceedings of a Taluk Board shall be recorded either in English or in Kannada, as may be decided by the Board.

Modification or cancellation of resolutions.

10. No resolution of any Local Board shall be modified or cancelled within three months by such Board, except at a meeting specially convened in that behalf and by a resolution of such Local Board supported by not less than one-half of the whole number of the members then on such Board.

Meetings to be public.

11. Every meeting shall be open to the public unless the presiding authority deems any enquiry or deliberation pending before the Board is such as should be held in private.

Names of members absent and those present to be specified.

12. The proceedings of every meeting of a Board shall give the names of members present as well as those absent, and state whether an explanation of absence is forthcoming in every case.

Boards when to meet.

13 (1) Every District Board shall meet not less than four times in the year; and a period exceeding four months shall not be allowed to lapse between any two consecutive meetings.

(2) Every Taluk Board shall meet not less than six times in the year; and a period exceeding three months shall not be allowed to lapse between any two consecutive meetings.

...es of meetings.

14. As a rule, before the close of each meeting of a Local Board, the date of the next ordinary meeting shall be fixed.

Special meetings.

15. The President may call a meeting at any time, when adequate necessity for doing so seems to have arisen, and he shall at any time call a meeting on the requisition in writing of not less than one-third of the members, then on the Board: Provided that no such meeting shall be held unless a notice of the meeting specifying the time and place at which and the purpose for which it is to be held, has at least six days previous to the day of such meeting been sent to each of the members.

Suggestions from Government, etc., to be considered at next meeting.

16. When any suggestion in writing regarding any matter is received by a Local Board from Government or the Deputy Commissioner or the Chief or Senior Officer for the district in the Educational, Medical or Public Works Department, or the Head of any such department, it shall be laid before the next meeting and fully considered and a resolution thereon shall be recorded.

Board may delegate their functions to Committees.

17. A Board may delegate any of their duties or powers to Committees consisting of such members as they think fit; and that any Committee so formed shall conform to any instructions that may from time to time be given to them by the Board, and the Board may at any time discontinue and alter the constitution of any Committee so formed.

Appointing of a Work Committee.

18. A Local Board shall delegate to a Committee, which shall be called "The Works Committee" and shall consist of not less than three members, the duty of inspecting works in progress under such Board.

The Local Board may delegate to the Works Committee such other powers and duties as it thinks fit, either generally or with respect to any specified work or works not being executed for the Board by the Government Public Works Department.

II. Rules for the Election of Presidents and Vice-Presidents of Local Boards.

The Government of His Highness the Maharaja are pleased to prescribe the following rules for the election of the President or Vice-President of a Local Board:—

(i) The election shall be subject to the approval of Government.

(ii) The election shall take place at the first meeting of the newly constituted Local Board or at the meeting held on a day not later than one month from the date of the Government Order, if the direction was given during the term of the existing Board as the case may be.

(iii) The election shall not be held unless at least half of the total number of members are present at the meeting.

(iv) Any member, who desires or is willing to be elected must notify his intention at the meeting and he must be proposed by one and seconded by another member present thereat.

(v) The election shall be decided by a majority of votes of the members present at the meeting and voting. If there is an equal number of votes in favour of each of two or more candidates, the selection of one of them shall be made by lot by the presiding authority of the meeting in such manner as the Board at such meeting shall determine.

(vi) No vote given by a member for himself shall be counted.

(vii) The result of the election shall be declared at the meeting immediately by the presiding authority and communicated by him without delay to the Deputy Commissioner of the district.

(viii) The presiding authority shall also forward under his signature to the Deputy Commissioner, minutes of the proceedings of the meeting in which shall be recorded:—

(*a*) The names of the members present.

(*b*) The names of proposer and seconder of each candidate that stood for election.

(ix) The validity of election may be contested by a petition signed by at least three members and not otherwise, provided that such petition shall reach the Deputy Commissioner within seven days from the date of election and shall allege specific grounds for setting aside the election on account of material irregularity in the conduct thereof and for other sufficient cause.

(x) Upon receipt of such petition, the Deputy Commissioner shall enquire personally or by some other officer deputed by him into the validity of such objection or objections.

(xi) After the expiry of seven days from the date of election, or, if any petition has been received after the close of an enquiry into the allegations contained

therein, as prescribed in the preceding rule, the Deputy Commissioner should report the proceedings with his opinion to Government, who may pass such orders as they may think fit

(xii) In the event of no election being made within the prescribed period, or the member or members elected not being approved, the President or the Vice-President or both shall be appointed by Government by nomination.

III. Powers of Presidents and Vice-Presidents.

Functions of Presidents.

(*a*) The President of a Board shall preside, unless prevented by reasonable cause, at the meetings of the Board;

(*b*) watch over the financial and executive administration of the Board and submit to the Board, all questions connected therewith, which shall appear to him to require its orders;

(*c*) exercise supervision and control over the acts and proceedings of all officers and servants of the Board in matters of executive administration, and in matters concerning the accounts and records of the Board; and subject to the rules framed by Government under sub-section (*i*) of Section 21 of the Regulation to dispose of all questions relating to the service of the said officers and servants and their pay, privileges, allowances;

(*d*) furnish to the Deputy Commissioner or the Officer to whom the Deputy Commissioner has delegated its powers under sub-section (3) of Section 32 of the Regulation, a copy of every resolution passed at any meeting of the Board and any extract from the minute of the Board's proceedings or other document or thing which the Deputy Commissioner may call for under Section 32.

The President of a Local Board shall have the custody of its proceedings and records.

(iii) The resolutions of a Local Board shall be carried into effect by its President, in whom the entire executive power of the Board shall be vested, and who shall be directly responsible for the due fulfilment of the purposes of the Local Boards and Village Panchayets Regulation and these Rules.

(iv) It shall be lawful for the President of a Local Board in cases of emergency to direct the execution of any work or the doing of any act which such Board is empowered to execute or do and the immediate execution or doing of which is in his opinion necessary for the service or safety of the public, and to direct that the expense of executing such work or doing such act incurred as the emergency may require, shall be paid from the funds at the disposal of such Board; Provided that every direction given under this rule shall be reported at the next following meeting of the Board.

Functions of Vice-Presidents.

2. As soon as a Vice-President is appointed, the President shall, subject to the approval of Government lay down definitely what duties are delegated by him to the Vice-President. It shall be the duty of a Vice-President

(*a*) to exercise these powers under the general control of the President;

(*b*) in the absence of the President and unless prevented by reasonable cause to preside at the meetings of the Board; and;

(*c*) pending the succession, appointment or election of a President or during the absence of a President on leave, to exercise the powers and perform the duties of the President.

UNDER CLAUSE (*c*).

District Boards may assign certain functions to Taluk Boards.

In addition to the duties assigned by Section 10 (*i*) of the Regulation to Taluk Boards as Corporate bodies any District Board may assign by a formal resolution, and with the sanction of Government all or any of the following functions to the Taluk Boards within the district:—

(*a*) Control over markets and slaughterhouses.

(*b*) Control over musáfirkhánas and rest-houses, and cart-stands.

(*c*) Control over such cattle-pounds as are not assigned to Village Panchayets.

(*d*) Planting and care of avenue trees on roads in the control of Taluk Boards.
(*e*) Construction and maintenance of such village and other roads as do not fall within the jurisdiction of Village Panchayets.
(*f*) Opening and closing of the Vaidyasalas.
(*g*) Provision of water-supply for drinking purposes in villages not under the control of Village Panchayets.
(*h*) Purchase and maintenance of breeding bulls.
(*i*) Holding of cattle shows.
(*j*) Conservancy and sanitary arrangements at fairs and festivals.
(*k*) Conservancy and sanitation of areas not within the jurisdiction of Village Panchayets (including destruction of snakes and dogs, deportation of monkeys, etc.).
(*l*) Vaccination.
(*m*) Lighting of public roads.
(*n*) Making grants-in-aid to Village Panchayets.

2. Any District Board may at its discretion and by a formal resolution and with the sanction of Government assign to the Taluk Boards, as agents of the District Board, all or any of the following functions:—

(*a*) Control over Primary Schools.
(*b*) Control over rural dispensaries (including Veterinary Dispensaries).
(*c*) Maintenance of public gardens and buildings.
(*d*) Working out details in connection with the administration of the Irrigation Cess Fund.
(*e*) Inspection of Minor Muzrai institutions.
(*f*) Any other function not directly undertaken by the District ~~Fund~~ Board

UNDER CLAUSE (*d*).

Contracts to be ordinarily in writing and Stamp and Registration Laws to be complied with.

Contracts entered into by a Local Board shall ordinarily be reduced to writing, and the provisions of the laws relating to stamps and registration shall be complied with.

Written contracts to be signed by President.

2. Written contracts shall be signed on behalf of a Local Board by the President.

Mode of executing transfers of property.

3. Every transfer of immovable property vested in a Board shall be made by an instrument under the common seal, signed by the President and by two of the members of the Board, and the fact that the transfer is signed with the sanction of Government shall be distinctly expressed.

Authority for payment of money from Local Funds.

4. Subject to the provision of Sections 34, 35 and 36 no payment shall be made from the Government Treasury out of a Local Fund except upon a cheque signed by the President of the Local Board.

UNDER CLAUSE (*e*).

Audit of accounts.

The appointment of auditors of the accounts of the Local Boards will be made by the Comptroller and entertained in his office. The charges pertaining to this establishment shall, in the first instance, be disbursed from State Funds and such portion ~~in~~ these charges as may, from time to time, be fixed by Government shall be ratably levied from the several District Boards.

UNDER CLAUSE (*f*).

Apportionment of funds.

One-half of the Local cess levied in a taluk shall be placed to the credit of the Taluk Board of that taluk.

2. Any District Board may by a formal resolution and with the sanction of Government assign all or any of the following items of revenue to the Taluk Boards

within the district, the assignment of revenue depending on the functions assigned to the Taluk Boards under rules under Section 37 clause (c):

(a) Fines and surplus sale proceeds of cattle under the Cattle Trespass Act, 1871, as amended by Regulation VIII of 1892.

(b) Rents and fees leviable under Section 38 (a) and (b).

(c) Fees for the temporary use of cart-stands and of markets, market-sites, village-sites, and other similar public places on the occasion of fairs and festival.

UNDER CLAUSE (i): FOR THE GUIDANCE OF COMMITTEES.

Committee meetings to be presided over by a Chairman.

A Committee may elect a Chairman of their meetings, and if no such Chairman is elected, or if he is not present at the time appointed for holding any meeting, the members present shall choose one of their members to be Chairman of such meeting.

Committees to meet when they think proper.

2. A Committee may meet and adjourn as they think proper, but the President of the Board may, whenever he thinks fit, and shall upon the written request of not less than two members of a Committee call a special meeting of such Committee.

Questions at committees meetings shall be decided by a majority of votes.

3. Questions at any meeting of a Committee shall be decided by a majority of votes of the members present, and in case of an equal division of votes, the Chairman of the meeting shall have a second or casting vote, but no business shall be transacted at any such meeting unless at least two-thirds of the members of the Committee are present from the beginning to the end thereof.

Minutes of proceedings of committees to be kept.

4. The minutes shall be kept of the names of the members present and absent and of the Proceedings at each meeting of the Committee, and if any member present at the meeting so desires of the names of the members voting respectively for or against any resolution in a book to be provided for the purpose, which shall be signed, as soon as practicable, by the Chairman of such meeting and shall at all reasonable times be open to inspection by any member of the Board or by any inhabitant of the district.

Vacancy not to affect committees' proceedings.

5. During any vacancy in the committee the continuing members may act as if no vacancy had occurred.

By Order.

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